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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Shumate et al. Art Unit: 1743
Application No.: 10/082,974 Examiner: Handy, Dwayne K
Filed: 02/25/2002
Title: LIQUID CHEMICAL DISTRIBUTION METHOD AND APPARATUS

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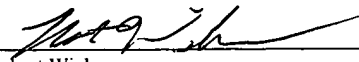
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Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Response to Office Action mailed May 18, 2004 (7 pages);
2. Return Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on July 13, 2004, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Non Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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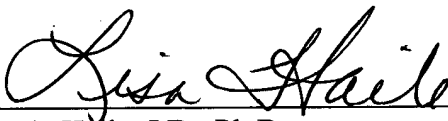
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Independent Claims	1	5	0	x \$43	x \$86	\$0.00
Multiple Claims	-	-		\$145	\$290	\$0.00
Basic Filing Fee				\$385	\$770	\$0.00
					TOTAL FEE	\$0.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with
the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account
No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 13, 2004



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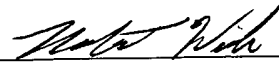
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2004, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

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